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SIZED PAPER, A SIZED PAPER GRADE, AND A

PAPER SIZE

SUPPLEMENTAL AMENDMENT UNDER 37 CFR § 1.111

Commissioner for Patents Washington, D.C. 20231

Sir:

In response to the Office Action dated April 10, 2002, and in supplement of the Amendment filed September 13, 2002, please admit the following Supplemental Amendment:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please amend the claims as follows:

1. (Amended) A method of manufacturing a paper of mono- and multi-colour ink-jet printable grade by de-watering a paper web from fiber pulp slurry, said method containing a step of adding a 2-oxetanone based size to said pulp slurry, said 2-oxetanone being manufactured from a plurality of saturated fatty acids having a main chain comprising 6 to 22 carbons essentially free of unsaturated bonds, wherein at least one said fatty acid comprises a branched chain.

